



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Dr. Thomas L. Garthwaite, Director of Health Services, presented a report to the Board on a definitive assessment of where Martin Luther King, Jr./Drew Medical Center is in meeting the standards necessary for accreditation by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations and certification by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the status of efforts to come into compliance, the length of time it will take to achieve compliance, and the resources that will be required to meet these requirements. Dr. Bruce Chernof, Senior Medical Director of Clinical and Medical Affairs, Department of Health Services, and Kae Robertson, Managing Director of Navigant Consulting, Inc., responded to questions posed by the Board.

Kathy Ochoa, representing SEIU/Local 660, and Dr. Genevieve Clavreul also addressed the Board.

After discussion, by common consent, and there being no objection, the Director of Health Services' attached report was received and filed.

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Attachment

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